

National R. A. Congress Set

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. (BP) — A missions congress for Baptist boys 12-17 from throughout the United States and several foreign countries will be held August 13-15, 1968.



Dr. J. Ralph Noonkester Carey President Is Honored On 10th Anniversary

Dr. J. Ralph Noonkester was honored Tuesday, May 10, at William Carey College by the entire campus family in commemoration of his tenth anniversary as president of William Carey College.

In a fast moving, highly spirited special chapel program sponsored by the Student Government Association, Dr. Noonkester was praised for an outstanding job done. Mark Watson, retiring president of the Student Government Association, presented him with a gold plaque which read, "To J. Ralph Noonkester, with appreciation for a decade of diligence and dedication."

Jerry Barlow, president-elect for the 1968-69 Student Government Association, acted as master of ceremonies for the occasion. He recognized the fifteen faculty and staff members who have been with Dr. Noonkester during the entire ten years of his administration. These were given seats of honor on the speaker's platform.

Special music was provided by the Carey College Chorale, which sang two of their most popular and thrilling numbers, "The Star Spangled Banner" and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic."

An enthusiastic note was added by the newly organized Crusader Band, under the direction of Dr. Benjamin Dunford, that played a melody of songs from "My Fair Lady" as an opening prelude and provided the music for the "Alma Mater" which was sung by the entire audience at the end.

Former student Durwood Blackwell, now at New Orleans Seminary, returned to give a ten minute special monologue.

Jerry Barlow read a tribute to Dr. Noonkester and the president responded briefly.

Hong Kong To Pass Up 1970 BWA Meeting

WASHINGTON (BP) — The governor of Hong Kong has notified the Baptist World Alliance that he cannot guarantee completion of convention facilities in time for a Baptist World Congress in 1970.

The Baptist World Alliance had voted to hold its 1970 World Congress in Hong Kong "provided adequate facilities can be assured."

Josef Nordenhaug, general secretary of the Alliance, said that the choice of an alternate meeting place will be considered by the B.W.A. Executive Committee when it meets in London, August 1-4.

Tokyo, Japan was named as an alternate meeting place when the Hong Kong vote was taken at the Baptist World Congress at Miami Beach in 1965.

Robert S. Denny, associate secretary of the Alliance, will fly to Tokyo in advance of the London meetings to discuss the situation.

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in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Announcement of the fourth national Royal Ambassador Congress, marking the 60th anniversary of the Royal Ambassador movement, was made by George W. Schroeder of Memphis, Tenn., chairman of the congress steering committee.

Schroeder also is executive secretary of the Baptist Brotherhood Commission, sponsor of the congress with state Brotherhood departments.

About 8,000 to 10,000 boys and men are expected to attend, Schroeder said.

The congress will emphasize the theme, "World Missions . . . My Mission," in keeping with the theme of the Southern Baptist Convention for 1968-69 on "The Church Fulfilling Its Mission Through Missions and Evangelism."

Schroeder said the objective of the congress is to assist churches in leading their boys to commit themselves to a personal responsibility to share Christ with the world.

Goal of the congress was described as threefold:

1. To present the urgent need for boys to participate in Christian service and witness opportunities.
2. To challenge boys to give an added thrust to the mission work of Southern Baptists.
3. To help boys realize they are part of a world-wide missions endeavor through the Royal Ambassador program in their churches.

The formal congress program will be presented in the new 11,000 seat fairgrounds arena. Tours of points of interest in the Oklahoma City area also are being planned for the boys.

4 Deacon-Pastor Retreats Soon

A series of four Pastor-Deacon Retreats will be held in June under sponsorship of the Cooperative Missions Department, according to announcement by Dr. Foy Rogers, secretary.

The schedule follows: June 9-10, Paul B. Johnson State Park; 13-14, Holmes State Park; 16-17, Wall-Doxey State Park, and 27-28, Lake Tlak O'Khata.

The Lake Tlak O'Khata retreat was originally scheduled for Choctaw Lake but transferred to the new location.

Leading the Bible study at the first three retreats will be Dr. John F. Carter, professor of Bible at Clarke College, while the leader for the Lake Tlak O'Khata retreat will be Dr. E. R. Pinson, chairman of the Division of Religion at Mississippi College.

The principal speaker at each meeting will be, in order, Dr. Chester L. Quarles, executive secretary-treasurer; Rev. Paul Jakes, Clinton, associate in Seminary Extension Department of Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. C. Z. Holland, assistant to the president of Mississippi College and Dr. Joe T. Odle, Jackson, editor of the Baptist Record.

The program for each retreat will begin at 10 a. m. one day and go through 9 p. m. the next day.

The complete program will be announced in a later story.

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SPECIAL WORDING—

SBC Hospital Signs Compliance Pledge

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (BP) — Baptist Memorial Hospital in Jacksonville, Fla., one of two hospitals owned and operated by the Southern Baptist Convention, has signed a government form pledging compliance with the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and making the hospital eligible to provide its services to elderly patients covered by Medicare.

The board of directors for Southern Baptist Hospitals, meeting a few weeks earlier in New Orleans, voted to authorize the two hospitals in Jacksonville and in New Orleans to sign the revised assurance of compliance form at the discretion of each of

the two local operating bodies.

Baptist Memorial Hospital in Jacksonville was the first to sign the agreement. Southern Baptist Hospital in New Orleans has not held a meeting of its local board since the full board meeting earlier, but is expected to consider the matter at its meeting the last week in May.

The wording of the form was negotiated by the hospital with the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare because the board was reluctant to sign the original Form 441 which included wording which made the Baptist institutions "applicants" for federal aid.

Joe Tuten, chairman of the board for the two hospitals, said that the issue was not racial in nature, because the hospital board last year directed both hospitals "to comply with and obey all laws, including specifically this and other provisions in the Civil Rights Act of 1964."

"But because of deep-seated convictions on separation of church and state, the board directed its hospitals not to sign Form 441 of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare," said Tuten.

The new form was prepared by Analsen W. Wilcox, chief counsel for the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. The revised form serves a similar purpose for Form 441, but does not use the wording offensive to the Baptist.

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MOYERS NOT TO RECEIVE SBC AWARD

Bill D. Moyers, special assistant to President Lyndon B. Johnson, will be out of the country during the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention and will not be able to attend the Convention, according to Dr. Paul M. Stevens, director of the Southern Baptist Radio and Television Commission, Fort Worth.

Therefore there will be no Convention presentation of the Distinguished Communications Medal to Mr. Moyers by the Commission as had been planned, according to Dr. Stevens.

Baptist Team To Dig For Lost City Of Ai

EDITOR'S NOTE: Joseph A. Callaway, project director, will appear on nationwide television on the CBS-TV program "To Tell The Truth," May 24 at 3 p. m. New York Time. Check local listings for time and station in your area.

By Pat Pattillo
LOUISVILLE, Ky. (BP) — Ten miles north of Jericho, in the style of the Pharaohs of Egypt around 2900 to 2500 B. C., he said, "and this convinces me that what we've discovered isn't the city Joshua took."

Callaway, associate professor of biblical archaeology at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary here, is a veteran of eight previous expeditions in the Jordan area. This is his second year as project director for the site which — despite the evidence — is still called "Ai."

His wife, who has become an archaeological enthusiast by necessity (her basement is full of broken pottery and Palestinian ruins), will serve as the camp administrator.

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MOTOR CITY, USA: This is Detroit, site of the 1966 Southern Baptist Convention, May 24-27. Hub of Detroit's freeway system is the John C. Lodge-Edsel Ford interchange. There are 30 mile of freeways within the city limits. Freeways lead directly to parking facilities in the downtown Civic Center where the Southern Baptist Convention will hold its sessions in Cobo Hall. (BP Photo)

State Baptists Prepare For Detroit Convention

FMB Journal Gets EPA Award

ANAHEIM, Calif. (Special)

—The Commission, monthly publication of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, received the first place award in the Missionary Magazine category of the "Periodical of the Year" competition at the 18th annual convention of the Evangelical Press Association, held here May 9-11.

Floyd H. North is editor of the magazine, which is published in Richmond, Va.

This is the second consecutive year that The Commission has won recognition at the EPA meeting, for last year, in Chicago, the magazine was cited for one of its covers.

Some 125 editors, writers and other evangelical journal personnel, were present for the meeting, which saw the publication Cable, published at San Jose, Calif., by Overseas Crusade, Inc., selected as the EPA "Periodical of the Year." It was chosen from magazines which had been given a first place award in several different categories.

Those were denominational, general, men's, missionary, organizational, take-home Sunday School papers and youth. The Commission was first place winner in the missionary division. It was the only Southern Baptist publication announced as a winner.

The "Periodical of the Year" competition is one of two sponsored by EPA. The other awards program is

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Up to 600 Mississippi Baptists are expected to attend the 109th session of the Southern Baptist Convention to be held in Detroit, Mich., May 24-27.

This will be the first time for the huge convention to meet in America's Motor City and all sessions will be held in the giant Cobo Hall.

The program is scheduled to begin at 7 p. m. Tuesday and close Friday night following a climactic session featuring the convention's participation in the Crusade of the Americas.

Two Mississippians have parts on the convention's agenda. Dr. W. Douglas Hudgins, pastor of Jackson's First Church, will deliver a major message Wednesday afternoon at 3:50 o'clock.

Dr. Joe Cothen, pastor of Alta Woods Church, Jackson, will read the scripture Friday morning.

Dr. Howard Aultman, pastor of First Church, Columbia, is a member of the seven-man Order of Business Committee.

In the chair for the opening session will be Dr. Wayne Dehoney, of Jackson, Tenn., convention president, who is well-known in Mississippi. He will also deliver the keynote address Wednesday morning.

The sermon will be preached by Dr. Ray E. Rob-

erts, executive secretary of the State Convention of Baptists in Ohio.

The election of officers is scheduled for Wednesday morning. Dr. Dehoney is ineligible to succeed himself as president so balloting on a successor is expected to be spirited.

Several Major Messages

Several other major addresses are listed. Those to speak are Dr. Warren Hultgren, Oklahoma; Dr. Franklin Paschall, Tennessee; Dr. Milford J. Berquist, Missouri; Dr. Monroe Switney, Georgia and the Honorable Carl E. Sanders, Governor of Georgia.

Dr. H. H. Hobbs, Oklahoma, will speak at the Crusade of Americas feature Friday night.

Several Mississippians are on convention committees that will be active during the week.

Dr. Hudgins and T. Coop-

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Crusade, Budget, To Be SBC Highlights

DETROIT (BP)—More than 15,000 Baptists attending the Southern Baptist Convention here May 24-27 are expected to launch a hemisphere-wide evangelistic effort slated in 1969, elect a new convention president, adopt a record budget, and conduct for four days the business of the nation's largest Protestant denomination.

Convention President Wayne Dehoney of Jackson, Tenn., named these as the come before the 109th annual session of the convention at Detroit's Cobo Hall Convention Arena, Tuesday through Friday, May 24-27.

Two of the most talked about issues to face Baptists during the past year — the question of changing the convention's name and of accepting federal aid for Baptist institutions — will probably come up in the form of progress reports from Baptist agencies and groups studying the issues.

The convention voted in Dallas last June to request the SBC Executive Committee to study the possibility of changing the name of the convention, and the Executive Committee will probably bring a progress report on its

long-range study.

In February, the 58-member committee authorized an opinion poll among a broad cross-section of Baptists to determine public opinion on the name change question.

The Baptist Education Study Task, a grass-roots Baptist study of the denomination's total program of Christian higher education, is

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House Unit Votes 4-Year Education Act Extension

By W. Barry Garrett

WASHINGTON (BP) — The House of Representatives' General subcommittee on education has voted to recommend a four-year extension of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

This action was taken in spite of protests from the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs and other religious and civil liberties agencies.

These groups asked for a one or two year extension in-

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MISS KYRA ROBERTSON, of North Greenwood Church, Greenwood, and Frankie Chatham of First Baptist Church, Meridian, won first place last Saturday afternoon in the young people's speaking tournament held at Clinton. Miss Robertson will represent the state at the convention-wide tournament to be held this summer at Glorieta Assembly, while Frankie will be the representative at the tournament to be held at Ridgecrest Assembly.

SHARON MCGORY, of First Church, Starkville, (left) and Marsha Hobson of First Church, Ripley, were declared first place winners in the Intermediate sword drill. Sharon will represent the state at Ridgecrest while Marsha will be the representative at Glorieta. The selection tournament and drill at Clinton as well as the prior state tournament were sponsored by the Training Union Department.

Crusade, Budget To Be SBC Highlights

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in the midst of a two-year investigation of practically every area of the education program, including the question of using federal loans and grants by Baptist institutions.

A progress report on the BEST program will be delivered as part of the convention's Education Commission report.

These and any other items of business could, however, also come up as motions or resolutions presented from the floor of the convention by elected "messengers" (delegates).

They will vote on a dozen recommendations from the convention's Executive Committee, elect a new convention president to succeed Dehoney, adopt resolutions, vote on a budget, and launch the "Crusade of the Americas" in the closing session.

Dehoney added that he had "no fixed judgment" on whether or not the SBC should change its name, saying that the SBC Executive Committee is approaching the question in the right way with deliberate study and hearings.

"I definitely feel that this is not a matter to be settled by impulse and floor debate at the convention," Dehoney said of the name change proposal. "There are many considerations that enter in and study by responsible group followed by many months of dissemination of information and issues involved should precede any report to the convention or any discussion from the floor."

In addition to presenting a progress report on the SBC name change study, the Executive Committee is expected to recommend a record \$24.2 million 1967 budget, program statements outlining the purpose and scope of work for three SBC agencies and an SBC Auxiliary, 1967 convention meeting site and dates, and an added assignment for the denomination's Christian Life Commission.

Increase \$2.4 Million

If adopted by the convention, the \$24.2 million budget, called the Cooperative Program, would be an increase of \$2.4 million over the 1966 Cooperative Program budget goal. Biggest items in the proposed budget are \$11.7 million for foreign missions and \$4

million for home missions. The Executive Committee will recommend St. Louis as the site for the 1971 convention sessions, with June 1-4 as recommended dates.

A recommendation that the Christian Life Commission of the SBC interpret Baptist views on motion pictures and communicate with the movie industry will also come from the Executive Committee.

The convention in Dallas last year referred to the Executive Committee a proposal by Gregory Walcott of Hollywood, Calif., a television actor and then vice president of the SBC, that the convention establish a "diplomatic unit" to Hollywood motion picture and television producers and distributors. The Executive Committee will recommend that no new SBC agency be created, but that the role be assumed by the existing commission.

Other recommendations to come from the Executive Committee will include proposals to permit renovations at Baptist seminaries, changes in the Annuity Board's charter, second wording changes in the SBC Constitution and Bylaws and a definition of length of term for board members serving partial terms.

Hong Kong To...

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termine if adequate facilities can be made available there for the 1970 Congress.

Word about Hong Kong's inability to provide accommodations for 1970 came through Lam Chi Fung, president of Hong Kong Baptist College and past vice president of the Alliance. In a letter to Lam, relayed then to Nordenhaug, Sir David Trench, the governor of Hong Kong, stated:

"I am sorry to say that although progress has been made in two projects for accommodating large conventions there is little prospect that either will be completed by 1970. The amount of consultation and planning, quite apart from the building work involved, is expected to take longer than the four years which have to elapse before 1970, and we are certainly unable to furnish the guarantees which the general secretary of the Baptist World Alliance asks you to obtain."

HOUSE UNIT VOTES 4-YEAR EXTENSION

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stead of four years in order to give time to correct improper church-state administration of the act. They were fearful lest church-state abuses should become established precedents within four years time.

The recommendations of the subcommittee now go to the full House Committee on Education and Labor which is likely to accept the proposals of its subcommittee.

After that the Rules Committee must clear the bill for floor debate and vote. If opposition is encountered here, the 21-day rule could be invoked to force the issue to the floor of the House.

The Senate subcommittee on education has not yet made its report on the same legislation, but it traditionally favors long-term extensions of legislation.

In testimony before both the House and Senate subcommittees on education, the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs charged that the administrative regulations include "dangerous distortions of the 'child benefit' theory and of the church-state relations on which the act was built."

Among the other groups making similar objections have been the National Council of Churches, the American Jewish Committee, the American Civil Liberties Union and Americans United.

In an interview with Baptist Press, a member of the staff of the House subcommittee said that the committee was likewise concerned about the church-state problems in the administrative regulations

of the education act.

The report of the committee, he said, would contain some "admonitions" to the Office of Education on the administration of the act. These admonitions will not be known until the full committee makes its report.

On the other hand, the staff member said that the committee thought it would have a better chance to exercise legislative oversight of the administration of the act over a four-year period than it would during only a one-year extension.

He listed three possibilities of recourse if the intent of Congress were violated in the administration of the act. They are: (1) litigation in courts; (2) hearings each year on the administration practices; and (3) hearings when appropriations are considered each year.

FMB Journal...

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known as "Higher Goals in Christian Journalism". In it, awards are made for the best editorial; feature article, photo feature, cover, fiction, standing feature and original art.

The Evangelical Press Association is an organization of more than 150 evangelical publications in the United States and Canada. Several Southern Baptist publications are members.

The Lutheran Board of American Missions has reported 64 new congregations in 1965, compared with 60 the previous year. The Board now



WHEN BLUE MOUNTAIN COLLEGE observed its traditional May Festival Day on Saturday, May 7, approximately 1,000 people gathered on the campus. The three above greeted the host of friends who remained for the Junior Class Reception held immediately after the Festival Production. Left to right: Sandra Mitchell, Blue Mountain, Maid of Honor; Cheryl Aultman, Macon, May Queen; and President E. Harold Fisher, who officiated at the Queen's Coronation. Miss Aultman served during the 1965-66 session as President of the Student Government Association and Miss Mitchell served as editor of the 1966 MOUNTAINEER, College yearbook.

SBC Hospital... Broadcasters Set June 12 As Day Of Prayer

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tist board.

The revised form establishes a contractual relationship between the hospitals and the HEW Department, where as Form 441 made the hospitals "applicants" for federal funds and assistance.

"The new form recognizes that the hospitals sell their services to the patients, and that the department of Health, Education and Welfare acts as a third party in paying for services rendered to certain patients," Tuten explained.

A formal statement of policy for the hospitals includes the statement that they "make available the services of the hospital to all people, regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, or ability to pay, in such ways as to preserve human dignity and worth."

Although the hospitals had pledged to comply with the Civil Rights Act, they could not be eligible to provide hospital care for elderly patients under the Medicare program until after Form 441 or its equivalent had been signed, and the hospitals had been approved by a state accrediting agency.

Deadline for signing the form and still providing services for Medicare patients is July 1.

The deadline applies, not only to the two hospitals of the Southern Baptist Convention, but to 45 other Baptist hospitals owned and operated by state or associational Baptist groups, as well as to all other hospitals.

The Social Security Administration regional office in Atlanta, which is administering the Medicare aspect of the hospitals' compliance, reported that at least 12 of the Baptist state hospitals had complied with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, and that eight others have been accredited by the state agencies.

July 1 Deadline

A Social Security spokesman said only three Baptist hospitals have both signed the compliance form and been approved by the state accrediting agency. They are Valley Baptist Hospital, Harlingen, Tex.; Baptist Memorial Hospital, San Antonio, Tex.; and Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas. Baptist Memorial Hospital, Jacksonville, Fla., has been certified by the state agency before signing the revised form assuring compliance.

All hospitals have until July 1 to sign the form if they wish to care for elderly patients covered by Medicare assistance.

More than 17 million persons over 65 years of age have indicated a desire to be covered under the Medicare program, and none of these could receive hospital care from an institution which does not sign the form by the July 1 deadline, the spokesman said.

The Social Security Administration worker suggested that other Baptist hospitals interested in working out revised language for the "Assurance of Compliance" should get in touch with the office of General Counsel for the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

has 126 fields under development—31 more than a year ago. These fields are in the United States, Canada, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

Team To Dig For Lost City

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fussing with the Arab cook at 4:30 a. m. about breakfast food. She's also an accomplished hand at finding, fitting and gluing together bits and pieces of larger objects which reveal ancient ways of life.

Other Southern Baptists on the team include Robert Crapps and David A. Smith of Furman University; Kyle M. Yates, Jr., of Golden Gate Baptist Seminary; and two graduate students at Southern Seminary, James Kautz and George Ramey. Mrs. Kautz will go along, too, as Mrs. Callaway's assistant.

Ten other archaeologists from various schools will join the expedition. The project is sponsored jointly by Southern Seminary, Furman University, Southern Methodist University, the Harvard Semitic Museum and the American School of Oriental Research in Jerusalem.

This year, the team will excavate various remnants of the site's history: a Bronze Age citadel and an Iron Age village are two distinct features of cities which were once alive in the site area.

About 100 workmen will be hired from surrounding countryside after complicated negotiations between Callaway and the local "mukhtar."

To Begin June 6

The group will begin work on June 6 and expects to finish by July 29. All artifacts and other items of interest found at Ai belong to the nation of Jordan, but small representative collections will be acquired by the organizations sponsoring the expedition.

Dr. E. C. Routh Passes Away

DALLAS (Bp)—Dr. E. C. Routh, retired editor of "The Commission" magazine and former editor of Baptist state weekly papers in Texas and Oklahoma, died here at the age of 91.

His son, Porter W. Routh of Nashville, is executive secretary-treasurer of the Southern Baptist Convention Executive Committee.

Memorial services were held Saturday, May 14, at the Sparkman Funeral Home, Dallas, with W. A. Criswell, pastor of First Baptist church in Dallas, officiating.

Dr. Routh was editor of "The Commission," monthly magazine published by the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board, Richmond, Va., from 1943 until retirement in 1948.

For 15 years previously, he was editor of the "Baptist Messenger," weekly newspaper of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma, offices in Oklahoma City.

He was editor of the "Baptist Standard" in Dallas, Tex., for 14 years, serving for two additional years as associate editor.

Groner Receives Service Award

CHICAGO, May 15—Frank S. Groner, administrator, Baptist Memorial Hospital, Memphis, Tenn., has been named 1966 recipient of the American Hospital Association's Distinguished Service Award by vote of the AHA Board of Trustees.

The award will be presented at the AHA Annual Meeting in Chicago on Aug. 31, 1966. Mr. Groner will then be the first man to have received both the Distinguished Service Award and the Justin Ford Kimball Award.

The Distinguished Service Award first presented in 1934 is given for outstanding leadership in the field of hospital care. The Justin Ford Kimball Award, presented to Mr. Groner in 1964, was named for the man who pioneered the movement that gave us Blue Cross. It was presented to Mr. Groner for his outstanding contributions to the cause of prepayment of hospital care.

The award will hold a joint meeting Monday afternoon in Cobo Hall.

Beginning Monday evening each conference will hold separate meetings, continuing through Tuesday afternoon.

Interest in the project is widespread. A translation of Callaway's official report appeared in the French journal *Revue Biblique* this winter. Last summer hundreds of American tourists visited the excavation. Callaway tries to have some small souvenir for each visitor to keep as a memento of the large-scale "dig."

Why all the enthusiasm if the site isn't "Ai" after all? "Being able to tie this city to the civilization of Egypt can be deeply significant in filling in the gaps of pre-recorded history," Callaway said.

He and his 17 friends are willing to spend a second long, hot summer to do just that.

Southwestern Buys Old Song Book Collection

FORT WORTH — One of the largest collections anywhere of old American sacred song books has been purchased by the School of Church Music of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

The collection has been assembled over the past 40 years by Dean Emeritus Henry E. Meyer of the School of Fine Arts of Southwestern University at Georgetown, Texas. It traces the development of the sacred song of the people from colonial times up to the mid-19th century.

Dean Meyer collected most of his specimens in the Northeast, in Vermont, Maine, Massachusetts, New York and

Ohio. Hardly an item in the collection was printed later than 1850.

He has found that most of the owners or hoarders of the old books are not aware of the importance of their holdings. Many times he found books he wanted in basements, attics and once in a woodshed.

Two examples typify his search — Essex Harmony, a rare work published in Boston in 1770, and Federal Harmony, Middletown, Conn., 1790.

Among the other valued items of the collection are six bound volumes of music, edited by Lowell Mason for the use of the Handel and Haydn Society.

CONFERENCE TO OPEN WITH MISSIONARY APPOINTMENTS

The appointment of a number of missionaries will be a high point of the annual Foreign Mission Conference at Ridgecrest (N.C.) Baptist Assembly, to be held June 23-29. The appointment service will be held during the opening session of the conference, on Thursday evening, June 23. The full 61-member Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board will meet at Ridgecrest that day and the next.

Featured speakers for the week-long conference will be Dr. John H. McCombe, Jr., executive secretary for church relations for the American Bible Society, Dr. James L. Sullivan, executive secretary-treasurer of the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board, Dr. Ralph T. Overman, nuclear scientist from Oak Ridge, Tenn., and Dr. W. Wayne Dehoney, president of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Dr. Claude Rhea, chairman of the division of fine arts of Houston (Tex.) Baptist College, will direct music for the conference. Dr. Clayde T.

Francisco, professor in Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky., will teach the daily adult Bible study, and Dr. C. Roy Angell, pastor emeritus of Central Baptist Church, Miami, Fla., will speak at nightly campfires.

The theme for the conference is "Proclaiming the Gospel Abroad."

N. C. Baptist Students Hold Vietnam Debate

BOILING SPRINGS, N. C. (BP) — A Baptist pastor told more than 300 Baptist students from North Carolina that "Viet Nam is an exposure of the moral bankruptcy of American foreign policy—all in the name of God."

W. W. Finlator, pastor of Pullen Memorial Baptist Church in Raleigh, N. C., delivered the hard-hitting talk at the Leadership Training Conference of the Baptist Student Union.

The conference, held at Gardner-Webb College here for students at colleges and universities throughout North Carolina, featured both pacifist and militarists in speeches and discussion, carrying out the theme "The Dagger and the Cross."

It was after Finlator's vigorous talk that "The Dagger and the Cross" really clashed with active student and advisor discussion.

The outspoken Baptist minister charged that America "welched" on both of its commitments to the Geneva Treaty and set up puppet governments which it is defending with the lives of American troops.

"We refused to sign the treaty, but we, in 1954 agreed to elections in 1956 in Viet Nam, to refrain from use of force in that nation, and to view with concern any renewal of aggression by either side," Finlator said.

He went on to state that he discovered before the proposed elections that over 80% of the citizens of Viet Nam would probably vote Communist, and as a result the United States set up a puppet government and instructed it not to hold elections.

He claims that the American nation is today supporting puppet governments with the use of American troops and military might.

Finlator was answered by the Baptist Student Union Advisor at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, James O. Cansler. He was not on the program but said he felt "all the issues and sides have not been brought out here thus far."

Cansler refuted many of Finlator's claims and said "there are many responsible leaders in our nation who would oppose the views just presented by Finlator."



Dr. R. L. Brantley To Speak At Carey College Commencement

William Carey College announced today that the annual commencement for the school will be held on Friday, May 27, at First Church, Hattiesburg. The major address of the graduating exercises will be given by Dr. R. L. Brantley, executive secretary of the Education Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention with headquarters in Nashville.

Dr. Brantley is a native of Sylvania, Georgia, and was educated in the schools there and at Georgia Military College. He received his A. B. and M. A. degrees from Mercer University, and the Ph.D. degree from Peabody College here.

Dr. Brantley has taught at Tift College, Mary Hardin Baylor College, Georgia State College in Atlanta, and was for eleven years president of Virginia Intermont College.



BEST NATIONAL STUDY CONFERENCE PLANNED: Members of the steering committee for the Baptist Education Study Task (BEST), leave the Southern Baptist Convention Building in Nashville after approving plans for the first BEST National Study Conference in Nashville, June 13-16. Continuing their discussions on the conference are (left to right) Rabun L. Brantley of Nashville, general chairman of BEST; R. Orin Cornett, vice president of Gallaudet College in Washington, D. C., and former director of the Division of Higher Education for the U. S. Office of Education; Bruce Heilman, administrative vice president of George Peabody College, Nashville; Albert McClellan of Nashville, chairman of the BEST steering committee; and John A. Fincher, dean of Samford University, Birmingham, Ala., and chairman of the SBC Education Commission. (BP Photo)

The Devil Is Alive

By Duke K. McCall
President Southern Seminary

The suggestion that Christians start a "devil is alive" movement is the most constructive proposal made recently. It is not that the devil needs the publicity, nor is it likely to make the cover of Time magazine. In fact it is not likely that anyone will get an advance sale of \$40,000 for his book to explain the movement. This point is made to assure cynics that there is no commercial motivation here.

One of the first arguments to prove that the devil is alive would be rooted in the death of God movement. While it is difficult to tell what the death of God prophets really believe, the following summary might be suggestive if you want to enlist in the new fad: William Hamilton of Colgate-Rochester Seminary should apparently be labeled an unhappy agnostic. He finds it difficult to identify any evidence that God is alive. He regrets the absence of proof that God is alive and feels that, in honesty, he must concede that God is dead. Of course, agnosticism is not new; the only thing new is that an agnostic wants to be classified as a Christian.

Paul VanBuren at Temple University, on the other hand, is a happy atheist. As a disciple of linguistic analysis and logical positivism, he concludes that sense perception provides no evidence for God. Obviously, if God cannot be perceived by human senses, God is dead!

There is nothing very new

about having atheists around. It is a little surprising to have ordained clergymen who are atheists. Further, it is a testimonial to the prestige of the Christian label that an atheist wants to be called a Christian. Christians ought to feel complimented, even if they are offended.

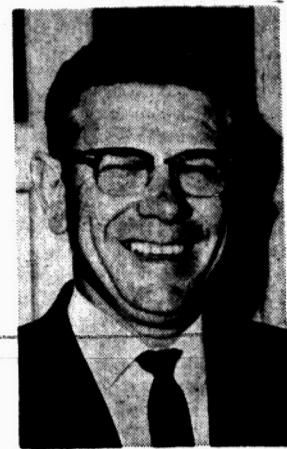
Confused Buddhist

Thomas J. J. Altizer of Emory University (not the Candler School of Religion) is apparently a confused Buddhist. There have been a lot of Buddhists around for a long time. They don't believe in God in any traditional sense accepted by Jews or Christians. Except for his desire to retain the Christian label, there is nothing fresh or important about the views of this Buddhist. In fact, if he were not confused he would stop calling himself a Christian—but then the books would not sell so well.

Perhaps the attempted humor of this article is in bad taste. But, then, this whole "death of God" movement is a dirty joke. As long as it was a little game for an "in group" of theologians who understood the tricks of using old words with new meanings, it was harmless to the public.

Now that the mass media are playing the game for profit, let us put the radical "death of God" theologians back in the old pigeon holes—agnostic, atheist, and Buddhist—and return to our witness to the living Lord, whose we are and whom we serve.

Editor's Note: The above article will appear in the June issue of the Tie, Southern Seminary publication.



Rev. Dan Morton



Dr. J. J. Carter

Clarke Announces Commencement Plans

Rev. Dan Morton, Amory, and Dr. John T. Carter of Birmingham, will be the featured speakers for the commencement activities at Clarke College on Saturday, May 21, at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. in the sanctuary of the First Church, Newton.

A new schedule for commencement time is being followed this year, according to Dr. W. L. Comper, President. Instead of having the two major assemblies on consecutive nights as in the past, both will be held on one day with the sermon in the morning at 10 o'clock and the graduation exercises in the evening at 7:30. This will enable families of the graduates to be present for all the commencement activities. Other features of the day will be an alumni luncheon at 1:15 and a reception honoring the graduates from 5 to 6 p. m. on the lawn of the President's Home.

The commencement sermon at the 10 a. m. service will be delivered by Rev. Dan Morton, pastor of First Church, Amory and Second Vice President of the Mississippi Baptist Convention for 1966. He is a trustee of Clarke College and chairman of the

Building Committee.

At the Graduation exercises at 7:30 p. m. the address will be delivered by Dr. John T. Carter, a member of the Education Department faculty at Samford University, Birmingham. He is a former member of the Clarke College faculty and is the son of Dr. John F. Carter of the present Clarke faculty, and Mrs. Carter. The first semester of this session he and his wife, Dr. Frances Carter, and their two children spent at Hong Kong. Dr. and Mrs. Carter both served as visiting professors at the Hong Kong Baptist University, upon the invitation of the Foreign Mission Board.

Baptist Teacher Joins Catholic Religion Faculty

SAN FRANCISCO (BP)—A professor at Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary near here has been named to the faculty of a Catholic university as professor of Protestant theology.

Joint appointment of James William McClendon of the Golden Gate Seminary faculty as professor at two San Francisco universities was announced by the administrations of the University of San Francisco and Stanford University, located in Palo Alto, Calif.

McClendon will teach at both universities under joint agreement. The University of San Francisco is a Roman Catholic institution, operated by the Jesuit order, and Stanford University is a private university.

McClendon is believed to be the first professor at a Southern Baptist Convention operated seminary to be appointed to the theology faculty of a Catholic school.

Beginning this fall, McClendon will be associate professor in the theology department at the University of San Francisco, and will teach a graduate division course in Protestant thought.

During the spring of 1967, he will be visiting professor of religion at Stanford University in special programs in humanities.

He is one of the first Protestants to be given faculty status at a Catholic university, according to Albert J. Gabala, S. J., chairman of the University of San Francisco theology department.

McClendon told the Baptist Press he was not leaving his denomination, and that he will remain active in the Southern Baptist ministry.

"This joint appointment is a compliment not only to me, but also to the seminary where I have been teaching," he said. "It is an opportunity for the denomination I serve."

Part of the Bible has now been published in 1,250 languages and dialects.

A Matter Of Redemption

"MasterControl" Vignette
By James L. Pleitz, Pastor
First Baptist Church
Pensacola, Florida

I never grew tired of hearing the story. When I was a boy my father would tell it over and over again. He would take me up in his arms and start rocking in his old rocking chair—and then he would begin: "Buddy," he would say, "A long, long time ago there live a young man whose parents were very old. The son was anxious to provide for his aged loved ones, but in order to do so he knew he would have to leave home to seek his fortune. One day, accompanied by his faithful dog, he saddled his horse and journeyed to a distant land in search of gold. After working hard for

a number of years the young man accumulated a sizable fortune. Putting his money in a bag, he saddled his horse, whistled for his dog and started home. After riding all day long, he arrived late in the afternoon at a swiftly running stream. He decided to spend the night here. Since he was anxious to get home, early the next morning he started on his journey. In his haste to get home the young man carelessly left his bag of money at the campsite. His dog was aware that he had left his fortune. He repeated this over and over again. Finally my daddy would say, "Son, the master decided that his faithful companion had gone mad. Although he hated to do so, he whistled and when his dog stopped he shot him. He was badly crippled

but the faithful animal managed to crawl back to the campsite. There he died in a pool of blood next to his master's bag of gold."

It did not occur to me until years later that this story is a good illustration of a wonderful biblical truth. As we read our Bibles we become increasingly aware of a trail of blood leading us to something far greater than silver or gold. Following this trail of blood we come to the place of redemption. The place of redemption was a skull shaped hill just outside of the city of Jerusalem. There on a Roman cross Jesus Christ, the Son of God, was put to death nearly 2,000 years ago.

The Bible says, "Without the shedding of blood there is no remission of sins." Jesus Christ, the Son of God, was put to death on a cross. His death was for a purpose. He died to redeem us from our sins. The Bible says the blood of Jesus Christ, His Son, cleanseth us from all sins. This redemption can be yours today. Jesus said, "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

Seever To Speak At Graduation At Southern

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Dr. Harold W. Seever, distinguished alumnus and former pastor of Dauphin Way Baptist Church in Mobile, Alabama, will deliver the commencement address at Southern Seminary June 3.

The service begins at 10:15 a. m. in Alumni Memorial Chapel. Almost 200 students in theology, religious education and church music are scheduled to receive diplomas from the Southern Baptist Convention's oldest seminary.

Dr. Seever, who was chairman of the Southern Baptist Convention Executive Committee, is a 1937 graduate of the seminary. He has recently retired from his 16-year pastorate in Alabama because of blindness.

SBC Messengers To Receive L And W Curriculum Samples

NASHVILLE — Samples of the new Life and Work Curriculum will be available to messengers attending the Southern Baptist Convention May 24-27 at Detroit.

A 40-page brochure titled "Life and Work Curriculum Samples" will contain sections from the first Life and Work materials produced by the Sunday School Board's Sunday school, Training Union and church music departments, and by the Woman's Missionary Union and Brotherhood Commission. The curriculum will be offered beginning in October.

The Life and Work Curriculum is a Bible-based, church-oriented, action-learning curriculum being prepared by and for Southern Baptists. It may be used by adults and young people in any size church.

According to the introductory page, "These sample lessons are offered with the hope that you will study them carefully and choose wisely the curriculum materials which will guide the study of your church members."

After the Convention, the brochure will be mailed to pastors, ministers of music, ministers of education, associational superintendents of missions, state executive secretaries, Sunday school secretaries, Training Union secretaries and music secretaries as well as Brotherhood and Woman's Missionary Union secretaries.

Williams Promoted By Commission

NASHVILLE (BP)—The administrative committee of the Southern Baptist Stewardship Commission has elected C. Fred Williams of the commission's staff as director of endowment and capital giving promotion.

Williams, promotion associate for the Stewardship Commission since June of 1965, succeeds James C. Austin.

McMaster University To Honor Native Of Mississippi



Dr. N. H. Parker

McMaster University is to honor with a Doctor of Divinity degree a man who has given a lifetime of service to McMaster University.

On May 10 at McMaster Divinity College Convocation, Dr. Nathaniel Herrington Parker, Principal of the College, will receive the degree and give the Convocation address.

Dr. Parker, who retires with the end of this academic year, has made major contributions both to the world of scholarship and the life of

McMaster. Born at Perkinson, Miss., Dr. Parker is a graduate of Mississippi College (B. S. 1919), Southern Seminary (Th. M. 1923, Th. D. 1927) and Acadia University (D.D. 1953).

For years he was the key member of the Home Mission Board of the Ontario-Quebec Baptist Convention and of the Hamilton Baptist Church Extension Committee.

He has also been in constant demand as a preacher not only during the seven years when he himself occupied a pulpit in the U.S.A., but also during his 41 years in Canada.

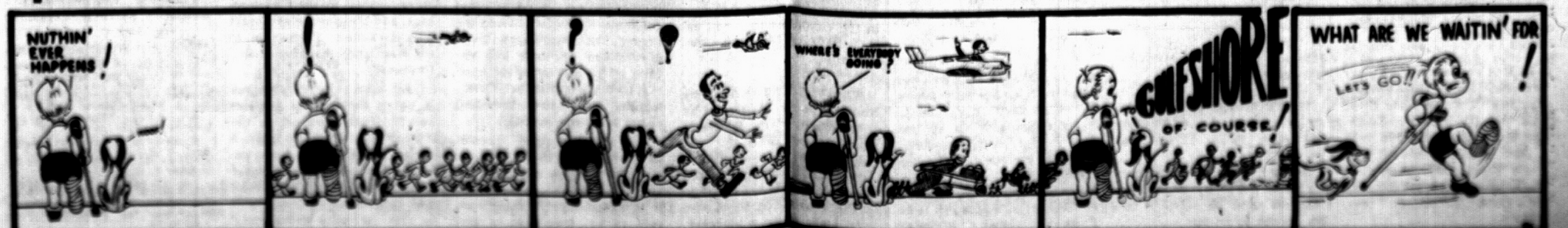
But it is for his contribution to the world of scholarship and to the life of the University that he is to be honored.

The Ten Tribes and All That is a scholarly treatise on British Israelism, and the articles he has contributed to the learned journals of his discipline have extended his reputation far beyond McMaster.

He has been president of the Canadian Society of Biblical Studies and a councilor of the Society of Biblical Literature and Exegesis.

He has been a member of the faculty of McMaster University since 1925.

Space Still Available—TRAINING UNION WEEKS AT GULFSHORE: July 18-23, August 1-6



The Baptist Record is a member paper of the Southern Baptist Press Association, the Associated Church Press and the Evangelical Press Association.

Dehoney Says The Major SBC Emphasis Will Be Evangelism

EDITOR'S NOTE: The president of the Southern Baptist Convention, Wayne Dehoney of Jackson, Tenn., outlines the major issues facing the SBC's annual sessions in Detroit, May 24-27, and recounts his experiences as president for the past two years of the 10.7 million-member denomination. The interview was conducted by John J. Hurt, Jr., editor of the Christian Index, weekly Baptist state paper in Georgia. Following is text of the interview:

Q. You undoubtedly have given more time to the presidency of the Southern Baptist Convention than any predecessor, through travel to mission fields, speaking engagements and correspondence. What are your personal reactions as you approach presidential retirement?

A. I have but one reaction, that of deep gratitude and thanksgiving. Thanking —

to God for his leadership, for good health, a sturdy constitution, and his protective care — to my wife and children, my church and dedicated staff, who have shared so substantially in my ministry — and to the brethren who elected me to this high office and have undergirded my leadership with their prayers and their loyalty.

Q. How many miles have you traveled?

A. In excess of 300,000 miles. I have been in 30 states and 28 foreign countries on every continent. I was away from home 211 days of the calendar year of 1965—but I have not tried to tabulate the number of speaking engagements.

Q. We understand you have kept one secretary rather busy with the presidential correspondence. What has been the average number of letters you have received each week?

A. A tabulation was kept by Miss Mildred Snow, my secretary, for the first six months to be filed with the SBC Executive Committee. For example, a report for the month of September reveals 381 pieces of mail received, and 479 letters written.

Q. Where did you find time for this volume of work?

A. I live with a portable dictating machine at my side, in my study, in hotel rooms, in my automobile, on the plane, in the airport. I try to make the minutes count, and "shift gears" from one responsibility to another quickly.

Q. Back to the mission travels, isn't a book about one of these journeys off the press?

Q. Yes, AFRICAN DIARY, 50,000 words and 16 pages of pictures on my tour of the African mission field in the late summer of last year. The book was written in the back

seat of taxi, airports and planes, in 60 days last fall during the period of the state conventions. The book was easy to write because I was sharing a tremendous experience of the dynamic things that are happening in Africa today. I am not at all modest—I wrote the book to be read. I have something to say and I will be telling the Convention at Detroit of some of these experiences. I hope every Baptist will read it!

Q. You will recall some agitation in recent years, defeated by a wide margin at the convention last year, to limit the term of the president to one year because it imposed too great a burden upon his own church. What has been the penalty, if any, upon your church?

A. Our church has been greatly strengthened during this period. I have tried to involve the church in all that I did and they have caught the vision of a world and the strategic responsibility that is ours as Southern Baptists in it. The deacons, other leadership and the church staff have gladly accepted additional burdens and responsibility in return for the privilege of sharing in a worldwide witness and ministry. As a result, I believe that there is the finest spirit in the church today of any church I have ever known at any time in my ministry!

Sees No Restlessness

Q. Do you detect any restlessness among Southern Baptists and if so what?

A. I am not aware of any restlessness or sharp controversy or blocs of hostile interests with axes to grind.

Q. You said last year you knew of no particular theological division. Is that still your opinion?

A. Yes.

Q. The convention last year authorized study of proposals for changing its name, now that geographically it is no longer Southern. Do you hear much discussion of this?

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TORTILLAS BROKEN FOR LORD'S SUPPER



MISSIONARY Hubert N. Lindwall baptizes a Kekchi Indian woman at a coffee plantation near Coban, Guatemala. His baptistry is a vat used for washing coffee.



THIS LITTLE Kekchi Indian boy, tamale in hand and its banana-leaf wrapping carefully placed in his hat, thinks dinner on the ground is a great idea. He goes to the Baptist church at Coban, Guatemala.



REV. AND MRS. HUBERT N. (TED) LINDWALL, missionaries, prepare for the first observance of the Lord's Supper by the Baptist congregation at Coban, Guatemala. Mr. and Mrs. Lindwall started Baptist work in Coban in September, 1964.



SIX-YEAR-OLD SHARON SCANLON, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. Clark Scanlon, missionaries, enjoys a visit with Kekchi Indians at Coban, Guatemala.

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Off The Record

Dick and Mike were playing in Mike's yard. Dick suggested that they go snitch a piece of pie from Mrs. Jones' windmill.

"No, Dick. Thou shalt not steal."

A little later Dick exclaimed, "I wish I had your bicycle and your baseball glove and your dog."

"No, no!" was Mike's quick answer. "Thou shalt not covet."

Still later Dick found a stray cat and decided to chop off its head.

Mike was ready with his warning, "What God hath joined together let no put asunder."

A Texas rancher purchased a new Rolls Royce and, a few weeks later, brought the car in for servicing.

"Do you like it all right?" asked the salesman.

"Oh, it's fine. I especially like that glass partition between the front and back seats."

"You do?"

"Yeah, it keeps the cows from licking my neck when I'm taking them to stock shows."

Little Billy was visiting his country cousin for the first time. On entering the barnyard he spied a goat standing with feet braced wide apart and eyeing him in disdain.

"Hey, Jimmy," he called.

"Is this animal safe?"

"Yep, he sure is," replied the cousin. "He's a lot safer than you are."

How True—

Social Security is a system that guarantees you a steak after your teeth are gone.

The Reviewer—

Nature fits all her children with something to do:

He who would write and can't write can surely review.

—H. B. Lowell in a Fable for Critics (1846)

Earns Doctorate

On May 20, Rev. Wayne E. Sterling will receive the Doctor of Theology degree at New Orleans Seminary. Commencement exercises will be at 10 a. m. in the Roland G. Leavelle Chapel.

Sterling, a native of Jackson, holds the B.A. degree from Mississippi College and B.D. degree from New Orleans Seminary. During his postgraduate work, he served three years as a teaching fellow for Dr. J. Wash Watts. His graduate studies were in the field of Old Testament. The title of his thesis is "The Meaning of the Command 'Honor the Lord from thy Wealth' in the Book of Proverbs."

From 1955 to 1960 he served as pastor of the Pioneer Church of Wilkinson County. Other pastorates have been the Briel Avenue Church of Natchez and the Sylvan Hills First Church of North Little Rock, Arkansas. Presently, he is serving as pastor of the Bluff Springs Church of Magnolia.

He and his wife, the former Carol Lanier of West Hollywood, Florida, have one daughter, Sheryl Dawn, 3.



Wayne Sterling



AN UNUSUAL VISITOR to the William Carey College campus recently was Rosalind Webb of Moulton, England. Rosalind, who has grown up in the town where the famous British missionary, William Carey, lived, is on a tour of the United States. She made a special trip to visit the school in Hattiesburg that is named for Carey. Her father, Dennis G. Webb, is the owner of a large shoe manufacturing company in the same vicinity where William Carey worked as a shoe cobbler during the 18th century. All of her family for generations have worshipped in the William Carey Baptist Church of Moulton. Posing with Miss Webb (beside the oil portrait of Carey, which hangs in Tatum Court) is Bible Professor William Clawson.

Parkway Initiates Intern Program



RELIGIOUS INTERNS—Rev. Bill Causey, (left), pastor of the Parkway Church in Jackson, is shown congratulating two Mississippi College students who have been serving on his staff as intern assistants during the past year. The two have been part-time staff members under an internship program established by the church in cooperation with Mississippi College. From the left are Mr. Causey, Jimmy Rodgers, Junior Davis, and Dr. Norman O'Neal, head of the Religious Education Department at the college and coordinator for the program. (M. C. Photo)

An internship program for future church workers, initiated by Parkway Church, Jackson, in cooperation with the Department of Religious Education at Mississippi College, has proven a success after a year of operation.

The intern program, established through a Parkway Scholarship, was originally set up last spring to provide an assistant to the Parkway staff to aid the pastor in his many duties.

Jimmy Rodgers, of Clinton, a student at Mississippi College, was named recipient of the first scholarship and began his training last May. After proving beneficial both to the church and to the student, the church provided for another trainee to be added to its part-time staff.

Filling the latter position was Junior Davis of Zion, Illinois, also a student at the college.

Under the unique program, the church provides the scholarship funds, gives the intern an opportunity for service and provides him with supervision. The student is to have a real learning experience as he serves.

Mississippi College handles the scholarship fund, selects the student through a special committee in the Division of Religion, and works with the church in seeing that the intern receives maximum benefit from his on-the-job training.

The student entering the program must be preparing for a vocation in religious education work or the ministry, must be a junior or a

senior, and must be a major in the Division of Religion.

Responsibilities of the intern include giving at least 10 hours per week to visitation under the supervision of the pastor; participating as a staff member in the full program of Parkway Baptist Church, including all Sunday and Wednesday night services, church council, deacon's meetings, and other special meetings.

The student must also participate in the In-Service Guidance Program at the college, making at least one monthly report and one personal conference with the chairman of the Religious Education Department.

Prized Diamond Ring To Help Finance 'Wallace Of China'

LOS ANGELES, April 22 — Recently Mrs. K. O. White presented to Gregory Walcott an exquisite diamond ring to be used in the financing of BILL WALLACE OF CHINA. In a letter to Walcott, Dr. White stated, "The ring is really her most prized, personal possession. Her father gave her the diamonds when she was a girl. He was a wonderful Baptist deacon who lived until he was ninety-nine and was used of God to challenge at least six young men to go into special service." Walcott commented, "I have a feeling that this was a genuine 'alabaster box' gift on the part of Mrs. White. I am deeply touched." He stated further, "It is this type of vision and sacrificial giving that will make the Wallace movie to become a new epoch in a missions thrust."



Edward E. Lott, Gulfport, MS; James Sanders, Patches, MS; Arnold Ward, Wiggins, MS; Jim Shanahan, Jackson, MS; Charles Gray, Toccoa, GA; James Pugh, Jr., Pritchard, MS; Fred Foley, Osceola, MS; Grady Crowell, Louisville, MS; Charles Elder, Vardaman, MS; H. Champion, Water Valley, MS; Joe Lancaster, State Springs, MS; John Brock, Jackson, MS



Forrestle Rutledge, Union, MS; Gary Jones, Augusta, MS; Patricia Jackson, Liberty, MS; Clyde Hester, Jackson, MS; Ed. Williams, Houston, MS; James Smith, Houston, MS; Wayne Smith, Philadelphia, MS; John Williams, Piquette, MS; Paul Smith, Piquette, MS; Thomas Cox, Piquette, MS; Bill Williams, Clinton, MS

NEW ORLEANS GRADUATES

Mississippi students who will receive degrees from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary May 20 are pictured. Also to graduate, but not pictured, are Donald Hinton, Piquette, and Oliver C. Ledford, McCook.



W. E. Hardy, Jr.

1st, Kosciusko Calls Minister Of Education

William E. Hardy, Jr., Minister of Education for the past five and one-half years at Woodland Hills Church, Jackson, has resigned to accept a similar position with First Church, Kosciusko, Rev. Harold Kitchings, pastor.

A native Mississippian, son of the late Rev. W. E. Hardy, Sr., he is a graduate of Mississippi College and Southwestern Seminary.

The educational program of the Woodland Hills Church has been strengthened substantially under his capable leadership. In addition to his responsibilities in his own church, Mr. Hardy has been very active in the Religious Education program on both the associational and state levels. He is currently serving as First Vice-President of the Mississippi Religious Education Association.

Prior to his tenure of service in Jackson, Mr. Hardy served as Minister of Education at First Church, Ripley, Tenn.; Midway Church, Fort Worth, Texas; First Church, New Braunfels, Texas; and First Church, Weslaco, Texas.

Mrs. Hardy, the former Barbara Given of Ripley, Tennessee, is also a graduate of Mississippi College. She has served for the past three years on the Kindergarten faculty of the Woodland Hills Church.

The Hardys have three children, Barry, 14; Beverly, 10; and Bruce, 4.

Mr. Hardy will assume his responsibilities with the Kosciusko, First Church, June 15.

Revival Results

Holly Springs, First: May 2-8; Dr. B. Gray Allison, evangelist; Major McDaniel of First Church, Natchez, singer; Dr. Earl Kelly, pastor; 80 decisions; 26 professions of faith; five additions by letter; 19 dedications of life for church-related vocations; 30 rededications.

First Church, Isola (Humphreys): youth-led revival; May 5-7; Steve Brown, Junior at Mississippi College, speaker; Carol Dodd, Miss. Delta Junior College, singer; Claire Nell Wood, MDJC, organist; Jimmie Lou Burrell, MDJC, pianist; Buddy Hampton and Tommy Gilmer, MDJC, in charge of fellowships; Lee Gerner and Bruce Newell, Ole Miss Football Team, and Durwood Gorton of Memphis State Football Team, led in devotionals for overnight retreat at State Park, Grenada Lake; two professions of faith; 12 rededications; one addition by letter; capacity attendance at church services; Rev. Bob Maddux, pastor.

Raleigh, First: seven professions of faith; two by letter; Rev. Billy Smith, evangelist; W. C. Burns, singer; Rev. Billy J. Crosby, pastor.

Hickory (Newton County): May 1-6; 27 for baptism; 3 by letter; one surrendering for special Christian service; 20 rededications; Rev. Howard Merritt, Whitesand Church, evangelist; Allen Drost, First Church, Newton music director, singer; Rev. H. L. Davis, pastor.

Juniper Grove (Pearl River Association): April 25 - May 1; six professions of faith; Rev. George Dye of South Carolina, evangelist; Rev. Johnny Speedling of Mobile, Ala., song leader through Saturday; Charles Powell, regular minister of music, song leader for closing Sunday; Rev. Ervin Greene, pastor.

John L. Hill's Library Given To Georgetown

NASHVILLE—The heirs of Dr. John L. Hill, book editorial secretary of the Sunday School Board, 1922-40, have presented his library of several thousand volumes to Georgetown (Ky.) College.

Dr. Hill died Nov. 15, 1964. At Georgetown, he served the college as professor of history and political science and as the first dean, before going to the Board.

Dr. Hill coined the trade name "Broadman," which signifies the general book publishing enterprise of the Sunday School Board. He derived the name from the last names of John Albert Broadus and Basil Manly Jr., secretary and president, respectively, of the first Sunday School Board. The first books to bear the Broadman Press imprint appeared in 1934.

Dehoney Says . .

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A. Yes, considerable discussion, pro and con, and disagreement as to the necessity or advisability of a name. However, there seems almost universal agreement, that, as yet, no adequate new name has been proposed.

W. What is your personal opinion?

A. I have no fixed judgement on the matter and am open to discussion on both sides. I think a study and hearings soliciting suggestions are in order—and this is the course the convention has followed. The matter is in the hands of the Executive Committee and I am sure a report will be forthcoming at the appropriate time. I definitely feel that this is not a matter to be settled by impulse and floor debate at a convention. There are many considerations that enter in and a study by a responsible group followed by many months of dissemination of information and issues involved should precede any report to the convention or any discussion on the floor.

WORKS COUNT TOO! by Charles N. Pickett (Zondervan, 120 pp., \$2.50). Faith in action in the life of the Christian. Written by a Presbyterian pastor.



TO COMMEMORATE their pastor's ninth anniversary, the congregation of First Church, Indianola, will send Rev. and Mrs. Harry Kellogg on a tour of Europe and the Holy Land during June. Deacon Frank Baker, Chairman of the Holy Land Tour Committee, is pictured presenting to Rev. and Mrs. Kellogg their passport. Powell Poe, chairman of deacons, at left, adds his good wishes.

Sunday School



A REMINDER!

Vacation Bible School
Reports

Please mail two (2) copies of your VBS report to:

Sunday School
Department
Box 530, Jackson

SUNDAY SCHOOL LEADERSHIP WEEK and KINDERGARTEN WORKSHOP JUNE 27 - JULY 1 GULFSHORE ASSEMBLY

Leadership—Young People Library Building



Mrs. D. Lewis White, College—Single; Mrs. Paul R. Morris, Married—VFA; Charles Warnock; Bill B. Evans



Kenneth Chafin, Bible Study; John Drakeford, Evening Speaker

For Reservations Write: W. T. Douglas, Gulfshore Baptist Assembly, Pass Christian, Mississippi

Woman's Missionary Union

LETTER TO PARENTS ABOUT GA CAMP

Dear Parent:
It will be a joy to have your daughter in Girls' Auxiliary Camp. We sincerely want her total camping experience to be enjoyable. The program has been planned to strengthen the camper's Christian character. We may make several suggestions that will help your daughter for a happy camping experience.
MAIL FROM HOME Write your daughter. She needs to hear from you while she is at camp. Keep letters cheerful and gay; don't let her know how much you miss her. The camp address is CAMP GARAYWA, CLINTON, MISSISSIPPI.
CAMP VISITORS Do not plan to visit your daughter while she is in camp because her schedule is packed with interesting and enjoyable activities.
PHONE CALLS Do not call her unless there is an EMERGENCY. In case of an emergency call the Camp Director at 924-5062. Give your child's name and the name of her church when calling. We only have one line to Camp and cannot let the campers use it unless it is an EMERGENCY.
CLOTHES Your local GA Director will give you a check list to fill out as you pack your daughter's bag. Fill in the list as you pack and tape it inside the lid of the bag. Caution her about keeping up with personal items. Encourage her to keep the list and check each item off as she packs to return home. Don't let her pack and bring too many clothes. Regular school clothes are fine.
FOOD Well balanced meals are provided; therefore, we ask that SHE NOT BRING FOOD FROM HOME AND THAT YOU DO NOT SEND HER PACKAGES OF FOOD. Encourage her to limit herself to two items daily at the canteen.
HEALTH CERTIFICATES To protect your daughter and us, we are asking that you have your family doctor fill out the enclosed health certificate within ten days of camp. Your daughter must bring this form with her to camp.
SAFETY NURSE A registered nurse is in camp at all times. Hospital Jackson, is only nine miles away. The Baptist Quinlan life guards are on duty at the pool. Campers are not allowed beyond the ropes marking the diving pool. Campers are not allowed in the pool without permission from YOU. (Note this section on the Health Card.)
HOUSEWORK If you think your daughter might become homesick, do not tell her so before she leaves. Home is where she can call you. Most girls who become extremely homesick tell us that they were promised to do the housework for you. Encourage her to do the housework as she will want to do the housework for you and she will want to do the housework for you.
OTHER CAMP INFORMATION Your local GA Director or Conference will give you a pamphlet with more camp information. If possible, read it carefully.
Encourage your daughter to participate in all camp activities. Also encourage her to meet and make as many new friends as possible.
Sincerely,
Bill Drakeford
Camp Director

Names In The News

Miss Mary Crenshaw, Director of the Department of Art at Blue Mountain College announces that the annual Spring Art Exhibition, which opened on May 7, for the May Day Festivities, will remain open to the Public through May 22. Guests are welcome to visit the Exhibition at any hour of the day. The Exhibition is in the Art Studios and in the halls of the Administration Building.

Sandra Leigh, third child of Rev. and Mrs. Samuel L. Simpson, missionaries to Ecuador, was born March 18. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson may be addressed at Casilla 503, Quito, Ecuador. They are natives of Mississippi. Born in Benton County, he grew up near Blue Mountain; she, the former Sue Kelley, was born and reared in Tupelo. At the time of their missionary appointment in 1964 he was pastor of Friendship Church, Columbus.

Sadamoto Kawano, Japanese Baptist leader, died March 26, after a long illness. A professor at Seinan Gakuin, Baptist university in Fukuoka, for several decades, he was president of the school for a few years. Descended from a long line of Shinto priests, Mr. Kawano was converted to Christianity while a student in Seinan Gakuin. One of Seinan's first graduates, he also studied in Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky.

Dr. Russell McIntire on Sunday, May 8, celebrated his fourteenth anniversary as pastor of First Church, Clinton.

Rev. Brooks Lindsey has accepted the pastorate of Border Springs Church, California. He and his family moved on the field May 10. Mr. Lindsey moved to Border Springs from Riverside Church, Leflore Association.

Earl Herrington, father of Glen D. Herrington, missionary to Malaysia, died April 30 in Fort Worth, Tex. Glen Herrington may be addressed at Number 17, 14-32, Petaling Jaya, Selangor, Malaysia. Born in Vivian, La., he lived in Louisiana, Arkansas, and Texas while growing up.

James B. Lane, Sr., of Bay City, Tex., father of Mrs. Russell R. Morris, missionary to East Africa, died April 16. Mrs. Morris may be addressed at P. O. Box 185, Tanga, Tanzania, East Africa. She is the former Betty Lane, of Bay City (she was born in Brownwood, Tex.).

Four chemistry majors at Mississippi College have been accepted for graduate school in four of the South's top universities. Dr. Archie H. Gernany, chairman of the Division of Science and Mathematics, has announced. Named as recipients of fellowships or assistantships were Robert Ferrell of Natchez, Brad Therrell of Jackson, Gary Cook of Baker, Fla., and Tommy Scallorn of Batesville. Ferrell has been granted a \$3100 laboratory assistantship to the University of Texas. Therrell has received a \$2400 NDEA fellowship to the Florida State University. Cook will enter Auburn University in September on a \$2340 lab assistantship. Mississippi State University has awarded a \$1800 lab assistantship to Scallorn for the 1966-67 school year. A fellow chemistry classmate, Davis Clark of Stoneville will also enter Mississippi State in the fall for graduate work in organic and inorganic chemistry.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ralph Davis, missionaries, are preparing to return to Nigeria, after furlough. As of June 1 their address will be Baptist Mission, Box 610, Enugu, Nigeria, West Africa. Both are natives of Mississippi. He was born in Pachuta, and

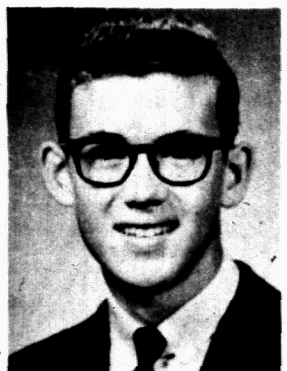
lived on farms near Quitman and Hattiesburg while growing up; she is the former Joyce Merritt, native of Forrest County. They have worked in Nigeria since 1950.

Lonnie Earnest, senior at William Carey College, has just won a \$750 scholarship to New Orleans Seminary. Earnest, a ministerial student and president of the Carey Religious Education Association, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. O. Earnest of Ruskin, Florida. At Carey he has served as associate editor of the Clobber and received this year's most outstanding member award from the Religious Education Association. Earnest is presently serving the Clear Creek Church in Lumberton, as pastor. He will be married in June to Miss Shelia Barry of Ft. Pierce, Florida.

Rev. and Mrs. James B. Slack, missionaries to the Philippines, are now doing evangelistic work in Batangas, where they may be addressed at Balayan, Batangas, Philippines. Native of Louisiana, he was born in Minden, but grew up in Plain Dealing; she, the former Mary Prestidge, was born in Poplarville, Miss., and lived in Louisiana and Texas during childhood.



Wesley Pitts



Nathaniel Mayhall

Two Ministerial Students Get Special Scholarships At MC

Two special ministerial scholarships to Mississippi College have been awarded for the next academic year, college officials have announced. The Porrest B. Jackson Scholarship has been accepted by Nathaniel Garraw Mayhall, III, of Port Gibson, while Wesley Pitts of Pontotoc is the recipient of the Dr. Dick Hall Scholarship.

Mayhall will graduate from Port Gibson High School this month with an "A" average. He will enter Mississippi College in September to begin training for the ministry.

Pitts, who is already a student at Mississippi College and plans to receive his bachelor of arts degree in August, will use the Hall Scholarship during the upcoming summer session.

A ministerial student, he plans on entering the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary after one year of teaching. He is majoring in English.

Music

REPORT ON CHICAGO MUSIC WITNESSING CRUSADE

Here are excerpts of letters the Church Music Department has received from several of the 24 church musicians who participated in the Chicago Music Witnessing (Evangelistic) Crusade, April 18-29.

"This was the greatest evangelistic experience of my ministry. The feeling of serving the Lord and seeing many visible results of our labors was most gratifying. Still the spiritual benefit was ours, because we were drawn closer to the Lord. I feel I am more dedicated than ever before to my field of service."

Roy L. Blackmon, Minister of Music
First Church, New Albany
"Being able to participate in the crusade afforded me one of the greatest spiritual blessings of my life. What a challenge! And what a response! I spent the two weeks with the Cermak Baptist Church which is pictured on the March issue of 'Tell' magazine published for G.A.'s. At the beginning of the revival meeting, this church had 67 members. During the two weeks, the Lord gave 23 additions making a total membership of 90."

William H. Sellers, Minister of Music, Fifteenth Avenue Church, Meridian
"The Lord blessed our efforts at Cornell Avenue Baptist Church. It was a thrilling experience to feel the presence of the Holy Spirit working among us. Probably the greatest demonstration

of the power of God was the salvation of a fifty-two year old man. This man had been witnessed to and prayed for earnestly by the entire church for fifteen years. When he walked down the aisle, there were several members who were on shouting ground. There were five young people who dedicated their lives to full-time Christian service. Three of these were for the music ministry and two for the preaching ministry."

Laderel Harrelson, Minister of Music, First Church, Ocean Springs
"Laboring with the wonderful Christians of First Baptist Church, West Chicago, was truly one of the greatest experiences of my life. Never have I seen Christians so united in spirit and concern, nor have I ever seen a place with such opportunities. Truly the fields are white unto harvest."

Bill Cannady, Minister of Music, First Church, Yazoo City
"I think the single most impressive thing about these people was their faith. Faith that caused a church of 88 members to buy five acres of land at \$3,000.00 per acre, and then float \$30,000.00 in bonds to construct a building. Faith that impelled them to witness to neighbors in any conceivable way that they can use to reach people."

Jerry Talley, Minister of Music, First Church, Senatobia
(More excerpts later)

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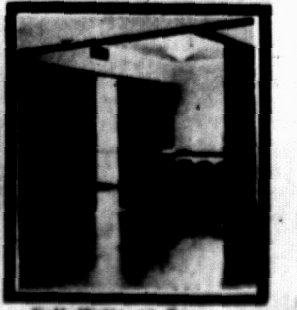
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EXODUS 3:1-12

By C. H. Melton, Professor, Clarke College, and Superintendent of Missions, Newton County

"Come now therefore, and I will send thee unto Pharaoh, that thou mayest bring forth my people the children of Israel out of Egypt" (v.10).



Rev. J. D. Walker

Copiah Church Calls Pastor

Rev. J. D. Walker, pastor of Edon Church in Jasper County for the past three years, has resigned, effective June 1, to accept the call of the Sylva Church in Copiah County.

Edon church has shown considerable progress under Mr. Walker's leadership. He is a graduate of Mississippi College and the New Orleans Seminary.

Mr. Walker previously was pastor of Center Terrace Church, Canton and First Church, Calhoun City as well as First Church in Norman, Texas.

STATE LINE DEACON DIES

State Line Church, State Line, sustained a deeply felt loss in the passing of Dr. Most H. Barkley, Sr., April 29, at 77.

Dr. Barkley was a native Mississippian, active in church and Baptist activities and was known throughout the state.

At his death he was an inactive deacon, but he had been called upon often for his highly regarded leadership.

His survivors are his wife, Mrs. Emma Davis Barkley, and a son, Mose H. Barkley, Jr. of State Line, and a daughter, Mrs. George Bass of Columbus.



Rev. James A. Case

New Hope Church Calls Pastor

New Hope Church, Coffeeville, has called Rev. James A. Case of Clinton as their pastor.

Mr. Case, a student at Mississippi College, is married to the former Freda Ann Smith of Brookhaven. They have three children, Mary Ann, 8, Jimmy, 6, and Anglia, 5.



Rev. Clifford Estes, Jr.

Pachuta Church Calls Pastor

Rev. Clifford Estes, Jr. has accepted the pastorate of the Pachuta Church, Clarke County. Mr. Estes, a graduate of University of Southern Mississippi, is enrolled at New Orleans Seminary. He is married to the former Becky Hardee of Ellisville.

Mr. Estes was ordained April 24 by First Church, Laurel, Dr. T. R. McKibbens, pastor. Rev. Bruce Hilbun preached the ordination sermon.

will be with thee," will fall on receptive and responsive ears of many who heretofore have done little or nothing actively to advance the Kingdom of God.

CARNATION OPPOSES ALL LIQUOR

Carnation Church, Okolona, Rev. Partee Tutor, pastor, has adopted a resolution, making known their stand, and conviction, in regard to the liquor situation.

They "deplore its sale, and believe it is in direct contrast to God's word and its teachings." They further believe "that alcohol has wrecked marriages, broken homes, left helpless, hungry, fatherless children, caused murder in highway accidents in other ways." They "believe the use of liquor is immoral and ungodly," and that liquor is in no uncertain terms "a destroyer of human happiness."

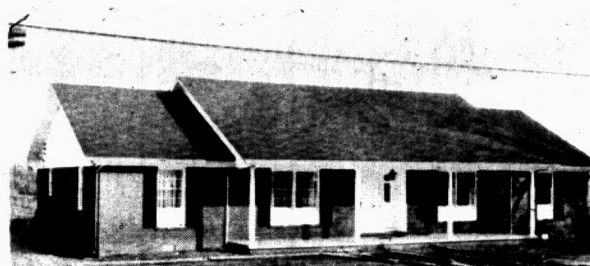
"Therefore," the resolution states, "We are deeply opposed to having it in our county or state, and stand ready to fight its existence with any and every resource that almighty God will provide for us. We announce our support of law enforcement in ridding our county and state of illegal bootlegging of, and sale of, whiskey in any form, and furthermore, to battle and protest any passage of legalization of it in any form."

Florida Pastor Named As New Orleans Speaker

NEW ORLEANS (BP)—The pastor of a rapidly growing church adjacent to the nation's moonport will deliver the commencement address at New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary in May.

He is Adrian Rogers, of the First Baptist Church of Merritt Island, Fla., located adjacent to Cape Kennedy. The community is made up largely of engineers and space technicians from the missile center.

Rogers is former pastor of Baptist churches in Mississippi and Florida, and is a graduate of New Orleans Seminary.



FIRST CHURCH, BALDWIN recently dedicated their new three-bedroom parsonage. Rev. W. C. Gann, superintendent of missions, Prentiss County, brought the message. Open House was held in the afternoon. Building Committee members were Hollis Smith, chairman, C. S. Poole, James Mack Jones, Mrs. Kermit Brann, and Mrs. T. Charles Gower. Rev. Kermit Brann is pastor.



Malone McKay

Second Church, Greenville, Adds Two To Staff

Second Church, Greenville, has extended a call to two new staff members.

John L. Malone has accepted the position of Minister of Education, effective June 15. Mr. Malone will receive the MRE degree from New Or-

leans Seminary this month, and received his BA from Ouachita College. He is a former assistant Director of Parks in University City, Mo., and was recreational supervisor for the City of St. Louis, Mo. He is married and has three children.

Sidney McKay, Greenville High School Band Director and system-wide chairman of the Greenville Public Schools, has accepted the position of part-time minister of music, effective June 1. Mr. McKay received his BA from Northeast Louisiana State College and MME from Northeast Louisiana State College. He is the former band director at Istrouma High School in Baton Rouge, La. He is married and the father of two children.

Rev. Roy D. Raddin is pastor.



RECEIVE GIFTS—Rev. and Mrs. Hardy R. Denham, Jr. were presented a silver tray and a generous check by members of the Galilee First Church, Gloster, upon Mr. Denham's acceptance of the call of First Church, Ellisville. They received the gifts, presented by Bill Caraway, chairman of deacons, at a reception in their honor at the church.



WILLIAM CAREY COLLEGE DORMITORY HOSTESS Mrs. May Bourdon looks over some of the 117 books she has collected personally from Southern authors for the Carey library. One book which holds particular interest to her is "The Mexican War," written by her son, Dr. Otis Singletary, chancellor of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. Among other authors included in her collection are Clayton Rand, Hodding Carter, Dr. Francis Simpkins, Harnett Kane, and Charlie Rowland.

Mrs. Rowden Writes Book For Primaries

Mrs. Marjorie Rowden, director of publicity at William Carey College, is author of a book in the 1966 Foreign Mis-



Jerrell Rogers

Joins Staff At Flora Church

Jerrell Rogers has accepted the position of music and youth director with the Flora church. A junior at Mississippi College, he is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Foy Rogers of Jackson. His father is state secretary of the Cooperative Missions Department of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board.

Mr. Rogers moved to the Flora Church from the McAdams Church in McAdams.

sion Graded Series released May 15 by Convention Press, Nashville. "The Flying Dragon" will be studied by primaries in Southern Baptist churches. The story is about two Vietnamese children visited by an American helicopter pilot who has come to offer medicine to the people of their village. The children spend an adventurous day in the city with the pilot who takes them to a mission school where they hear about Jesus. Mrs. Rowden formerly served as co-director of a children's home in Nazareth and as a teacher in a Baptist school in Israel.

Lawson H. Cook, Jr., Passes Away

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (BP)—Lawson H. Cook Jr., son of the man who helped organize the Brotherhood Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, died here at the age of 52.

An attorney, Cook had not practiced law in several years for health reasons. He moved to Memphis in 1936 when his father came here to organize the Brotherhood Commission.

The elder Cook was executive secretary of the Brotherhood Commission from 1936 to 1952.

A Mother Speaks About GA's

What has Girls' Auxiliary meant to others? A mother says: "It is difficult for me to put into words the tremendous value and importance I feel that Girls' Auxiliary has been in the life of my daughter."

"Everywhere we have lived she has been active in Girls' Auxiliary, being regular in attendance, taking part on most of the programs, and working hard in trying to influence all the girls in her age group in becoming GA members."

"I firmly believe that it was her years of Girls' Auxiliary training that helped her decide to go to a Baptist college, where she could continue her religious training. I feel that her entire life will be influenced by this early training and that in times of sorrow and disappointment she will draw strength and courage from the truths and faith instilled in her by the competent GA counselors, as they taught and worked with her and the other girls through the years."

"I am thankful that my daughter had the privilege of being a Girls' Auxiliary member."—Baptist Bulletin Service



Rev. Donnie Stewart

Begins Pastorate At Duck Hill

Rev. Donnie Stewart has accepted the pastorate of Duck Hill Church (Montgomery Association). Mr. Stewart had served the Hebron Church (Panola County) since May, 1960. He assumed his duties at Duck Hill April 1.

Under Mr. Stewart's leadership, Sunday school enrollment at Hebron increased from 89 to 180, Training Union from 68 to 130; 154 were added to the church, with two surrendering to the fulltime gospel ministry.

The budget of the church increased from \$7200 to \$15,000. Improvements made included a new three-bedroom brick parsonage, additional buildings to the church, including two annexes, a kitchen, nursery, and baptistry.

A graduate of Clarke and William Carey College, Mr. Stewart attended New Orleans Seminary. He formerly pastored Lake Como, and Bay Springs churches in Jasper County, and Ted Church in Smith County.

Workshop On Reading To Be Held At MC

Mississippi College will sponsor a Reading Workshop June 13-17. Dr. John Blair, chairman of the Division of Education and Psychology, has announced.

The week-long workshop, aimed at providing teachers of elementary reading in Mississippi with the latest instructional techniques, will feature lectures and demonstrations by some of the South's leading authorities in the reading field.

Dr. Margaret L. Craig, assistant professor of education at the college, will be coordinator for the workshop. Application blanks have already been mailed to schools throughout the state, according to Dr. Craig, and many have been returned. Approximately 250 registrants are expected.

The workshop faculty will consist of recognized authorities in the field of elementary reading. Among them will be Dr. Walter B. Barbe, editor of *Highlights for Children*; Dr. Elizabeth M. Antley, Director of the Reading Clinic, University of Southern Mississippi; and Dr. Albert J. Kingston, professor of educational psychology, University of Georgia.

Although the workshop is designed primarily for elementary teachers, Dr. Craig states that parents of elemen-



Rev. Carl S. Barnes

Woodlawn Church Calls Pastor

Called as pastor of Woodlawn Church, Vicksburg, is Rev. Carl S. Barnes, former pastor of North Columbia Church, Columbia. Barnes succeeds Rev. O. C. Daniels.

Formerly of Newellton, La., he is a graduate of Mississippi College and New Orleans Seminary. He has been pastor of North Columbia for over three and one-half years, during which time 181 additions were made to the church, doubling the church membership as well as the budget.

Mr. Barnes, formerly pastor at Mound, La., is married to the former Eleene Ezell of Delhi, La. The Barnes have three children—Steve, 19; Sherry, 15; and John Mark, 7.

He will assume his pastoral duties at Woodlawn June 1.

tary age children and others interested in improving reading techniques are invited to attend any or all of the sessions.

Topics to be discussed during the week include "Trends and Practices in Reading," "Reading in the Content Area," "Measuring Pupil Growth in Reading," "Identifying and Assisting Retarded Readers," "Individualized Reading Practices," "Skill Instruction in Reading," "Improving Comprehension," "Teaching Reading to the Culturally Deprived," "Oral Reading," "Phonics," "Syntactic and Word Analysis," "Linguistics," "Dictionary Skills," and "Grouping." The workshop fee will be

BAYLOR U. WILL INCREASE SALARIES FOR FACULTY

HOUSTON (BP)—Baylor University at Waco, Tex., has increased faculty salaries an average of 46% between the school years 1961-62 and 1966-67, President Abner V. McCall reported to the trustees in Houston recently.

The average increase for the next school year, McCall said, will be 12%, including all ranks from instructor through professor.

McCall also told the semi-annual session of the board that while Baylor has recently added a doctor of philosophy program in its department of religion, the school's emphasis will continue to be to build up "a quality operation on the undergraduate level."



JODIE E. JACKSON, Natchez, was among the 35 spring graduates of Midwestern Seminary in Kansas City, Missouri. Jodie was awarded the Bachelor of Divinity degree at the graduation exercises, May 7. Dr. Abner V. McCall, President of Baylor University, was the commencement speaker.

Booneville Adds Staff Member

Jerry Harvey has been called to First Church, Booneville to serve in the capacity of minister of music, youth, and education. He was formerly at First Church, Bemis, Tennessee.

Mr. Harvey is married and has two sons and a daughter. He has moved on the field at Booneville.

Rev. Billy E. Roby is pastor.

\$20 per person with one semester hour of college credit being offered. Participants desiring to stay in one of the air-conditioned residence halls and take meals in the college cafeteria will be charged an additional \$22.50 per person for the week. Individuals interested in attending the workshop should contact Dr. Craig at Mississippi College as soon as possible.

Churches In The News

Bethel Church, Route 2, Monticello, will observe Homecoming Day on Sunday, May 22, announces Rev. John L. Carlisle, pastor. They plan a special Building Fund Drive for the completion of their church building, and all offerings received on Homecoming Day will go into this special fund. Rev. Maxie Nelson, former Bethel pastor, now pastor at Enon, will be guest speaker for the 11 a.m. service. Following dinner on the grounds at 12, the Camellia City Quartet of McComb will be featured guests at the afternoon service, which begins at 2.

Concord Church, Franklin County, will observe Homecoming Day on Sunday, May 22. Lunch will be served at the church. Rev. Herbert Whitten is pastor.

Bear Creek, Attala County, will hold Homecoming Day on Sunday, May 29, with an all-day program and lunch at the church. Those who wish to contribute to the cemetery fund will be given an opportunity to do so. Those who wish to mail their contributions may send them to Mr. Fred Huffman, Route 3, McComb, Miss. Rev. Homer McDonald is pastor.

About Liquor

Statistics show that 16,000 people are killed by intoxicating liquor every year. Only one is killed by a mad dog; yet we shoot the dog and license the liquor.—Van Winkle Reminded.